

Barney Fawcett
of Wallisburg

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GEORGE A. FISHER

George A. Fisher was born July 4, 1883, at Park City, son of David and Mary Ann

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McDonald Fisher. He married Annie McMillan in Heber in 1910.

Graduate of the LDS Business College, where he served as associate editor of the school paper, "The Gold and Blue" for several years he was managing editor of the Wasatch Wave, weekly publication. He served as the first U. S. forest ranger in Wasatch and Duchesne Counties, from 1906 to 1916. He was a member of the Utah Legislature from Wasatch County in 1917.

George was the organizer and first president of the Heber Horse and Cattle Growers' Assn., member of the Wasatch County school board, past president of the Association of Western Public Land States, executive secretary of the Utah land board, chairman of the Wasatch County Chapter, American Red Cross, from 1917 to 1933. He was an accomplished writer of several published books of both prose and poetry. Mr. Fisher engaged in farming, sheep and cattle raising, mine contracting, motel and store business. He was the founder of the town of Keetley, Wasatch County, in 1922, where he made his home until his death, July 17, 1954.

*George had a fair-sized
herd of sheep in
Keetley to west fork of
the Duchesne*